

Docket No.: 65933-056

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**PATENT**



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Yoshio OKAYAMA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 9924  
Application No.: 10/724,111 : Group Art Unit: 2812  
Filed: December 01, 2003 : Examiner: GURLEY, LYNNE ANN  
For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action  
dated July 29, 2004.

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

TOTAL CLAIMS	<i>18</i>	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	<i>18</i> minus 20 =	<i>0</i>
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	<i>6</i> minus 3 =	<i>1</i>
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT		<input type="checkbox"/>

SMALL ENTITY  
TYPE  OR OTHER THAN  
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEES	RATE	FEES
BASIC FEE	385.00	OR BASIC FEE	770.00
X\$ 9=		OR X\$18=	
X43=		OR X86=	<i>86</i>
+145=		OR +290=	
TOTAL		OR TOTAL	<i>856</i>

\* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
				MINUS =
Total	* <i>18</i>	Minus	** <i>20</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Independent	* <i>4</i>	Minus	*** <i>4</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				<input type="checkbox"/>

SMALL ENTITY OR OTHER THAN  
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR X\$18=	
X43=		OR X86=	
+145=		OR +290=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
				MINUS =
Total	* <i></i>	Minus	** <i></i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Independent	* <i></i>	Minus	*** <i></i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				<input type="checkbox"/>

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR X\$18=	
X43=		OR X86=	
+145=		OR +290=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
				MINUS =
Total	* <i></i>	Minus	** <i></i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Independent	* <i></i>	Minus	*** <i></i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				<input type="checkbox"/>

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR X\$18=	
X43=		OR X86=	
+145=		OR +290=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

\* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.

\*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20."

\*\*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3."

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.